

Economic Development Region 4 | Northeast | Chicago Metro Area

December 2015

Job Opportunities by Major Occupational Group	Online Job Ads
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	19,847
Management Occupations	18,439
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	16,366
Sales and Related Occupations	15,927
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	14,504
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	9,972
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	9,572
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	5,605
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	5,521
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	4,088
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	3,996
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	3,890
Production Occupations	3,535
Community and Social Services Occupations	2,279
Healthcare Support Occupations	2,017
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	1,591
Construction and Extraction Occupations	1,490
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	1,415
Personal Care and Service Occupations	1,266
Protective Service Occupations	1,179
Legal Occupations	1,042
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	36
Military Specific Occupations	6
Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted OnLine® Data Series, prepared by the Illinois Department of Employment Security - Economic Information & Analysis Division	

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Top 20 Employers with Online Job Ad Openings	Online Job Ads
Robert Half International	2,180
Oracle	1,659
JewelOsco	1,615
Target Corporation	1,042
Accenture	906
The University of Chicago	899
Deloitte	886
Aerotek	862
Randstad	844
Roehl	827
Presence Health	818
Anthem, Inc.	673
Kforce Professional Staffing, Inc.	644
Blue Cross & Blue Shield Association	643
Kelly Services	616
Advocate Health Care	611
Chicago Public Schools	580
Aramark Corporation	576
TEKsystems	488
City Colleges of Chicago	477
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Technical Notes:

1. The Economic Information & Analysis (EI&A) Division measures economic indicators such as employment, unemployment and job openings on a seasonally adjusted basis. EI&A also collects, compiles, analyzes, publishes and distributes a variety of Workforce, Career Resource and Labor Market Information and is the State of Illinois' primary source of labor market statistical data.
1. The reference period is a midmonth total that begins with the week that includes the 12th day of the month. Example: Month of August is the time period July 14 – August 13.
2. This report represents industries that post online job ads. Hiring practices of some industries, such as construction, do not typically post their job openings online.
3. The Conference Board is a global, independent business membership and research association working in the public interest. The Conference Board Help Wanted OnLine® Data Series (HWOL) measures the number of new, first-time online jobs and jobs reposted from the previous month for over 16,000 Internet job boards, corporate boards and smaller job sites that serve niche markets and smaller geographic areas. Occasionally, job board ads may be listed under an erroneous location and this will then become incorporated into the HWOL data series.

